

## CONGRESSIONAL RECORD SUMMARY

Thursday, May 17, 2001, Part I

### SENATE

#### Elementary and Secondary Education Act Authorization:

*Senate continued consideration of S 1*, to extend programs and activities under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto:

*Pages S 5025-26, D 466*

#### Rejected:

By 34 yeas to 65 nays (Vote No. 110), *Dayton Modified Amendment No. 622 (to Amendment No. 358)*, to amend the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act to fully fund 40 percent of the average per pupil expenditure for programs under part B of such Act.

*Pages S 5026-27, D 466*

#### Pending:

*Jeffords Amendment No. 358*, in the nature of a substitute.

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*Biden Amendment No. 386 (to Amendment No. 358)*, to establish school-based partnerships between local law enforcement agencies and local school systems, by providing school resource officers who operate in and around elementary and secondary schools.

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#### Tax Relief Reconciliation:

*Senate began consideration of H.R. 1836*, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 104 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 2002, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto:

*Pages S 5028-5100, D 466*

A unanimous-consent-time agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill, pending amendments, and certain amendments to be proposed thereto, at 9:30 a.m., on Monday, May 21, 2001, with votes to occur thereon, beginning at 6 p.m.

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#### Nominations Received:

**Senate received the following nominations:**

*Sam E. Haddon*, of Montana, to be **United States District Judge** for the District of Montana, vice Charles C. Lovell, retired.

*Richard F. Cebull*, of Montana, to be **United States District Judge** for the District of Montana, vice Jack D. Shanstrom, retired.

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#### Committee Meetings:

\_\_\_\_\_ **Committee on Appropriations:** Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, and the Judiciary concluded hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2002 for the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the Drug Enforcement Administration, and the Immigration and Naturalization Service.

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#### Committee Meetings (Cont'd.):

**Committee on the Judiciary:** Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items: **S. 487**, to amend chapter 1 of title 17, United States Code, relating to the exemption of certain performances or displays for educational uses from copyright infringement provisions, to provide that the making of a single copy of such performances or displays is not an infringement, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and *The nominations of Viet D. Dinh*, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Attorney General, and *Michael Chertoff*, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Attorney General, both of the Department of Justice.

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**Congressional Program Ahead, Week of May 21 through May 26, 2001:**

**Committee on Governmental Affairs:** 5/22/01 @ 9:00 a.m. To hold hearings on the nomination of *Erik Patrick Christian* and the nomination of *Maurice A. Ross*, each to be an *Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia*, SD-342.

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**Committee on the Judiciary:** 5/22/01 @ 10:00 a.m. To hold hearings to examine competition in the pharmaceutical marketplace, focusing on the antitrust implications of patent settlements. SD-226.

**Committee on the Judiciary:** 5/22/01 @ 10:00 a.m. Subcommittee on Technology, Terrorism, and Government Information, to hold hearings to examine the challenges in cybercrime focusing on the National Infrastructure Protection Center. SD-366.

**Committee on the Judiciary:** 5/22/01 @ 2:00 p.m., Subcommittee on Immigration, to hold hearings to examine U.S. immigration policy, focusing on rural and urban health care needs, SD-226.

**Committee on the Judiciary:** 5/23/01 @ 10:00 a.m. *Full Committee, to hold hearings on Department of Justice and certain judicial nominations.* SD-226.

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**HOUSE**

**Bills Introduced:**

**H.R. 1896.** A bill to provide assistance to States to expand and establish drug abuse treatment programs to enable such programs to provide services to individuals who voluntarily seek treatment for drug abuse; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

Dooley

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**H.R. 1900.** *A bill to amend the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974 to provide quality prevention programs and accountability programs relating to juvenile delinquency, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.*

Greenwood

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**Bills Introduced (Cont'd.):**

**H.R. 1904.** A bill to establish an Office of Children's Services within the Department of Justice *to*

*coordinate and implement Government actions involving unaccompanied alien children*, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Lofgren

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**H.R. 1907.** A bill to amend title 23, United States Code, to require States *to adopt and enforce standards that prohibit the use of racial profiling* in the enforcement of State laws regulating the use of Federal-aid highways, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

Norton

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**H.R. 1914.** *A bill to extend for 4 additional months the period for which chapter 12 of title 11 of the United States Code is reenacted; to the Committee on the Judiciary.*

Smith

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**H.R. 1916.** A bill to provide for the establishment, use, and enforcement of a consistent and comprehensive system for labeling violent content in audio and visual media products; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

Wamp

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#### **H.R. 1. Leave No Child Behind Act:**

*The House began general debate on H.R. 1*, to close the achievement gap with accountability, flexibility, and choice, so that no child is left behind, consuming 14 minutes of the 2 hours of debate time made in order by the rule. Further consideration of the bill will resume at a later date.

*Pages H 2298-2313, D 470*

**H. Res. 143**, the rule that is providing for consideration of the bill was agreed to by a yeas and nays vote of 219 yeas to 201 nays, Roll No. 125.

*Pages H 2309-10, D 470*

#### **Committee Meetings:**

**Committee on Appropriations:** Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary held a hearing on the DEA.

**Committee on Energy and Commerce:** Ordered reported **H.R. 1831**, Small Business Liability Protection Act.

**Committee on Energy and Commerce:** Subcommittee on Telecommunications and the Internet held a hearing on **H.R. 1765**, to increase penalties for common violations of the Communications Act of 1934.

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**Committee on Government Reform:** Subcommittee on National Security, Veterans Affairs, and International Relations held a hearing on *“Rule of Law Assistance Programs: Limited Impact, Limited Sustainability.”*

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#### **Committee Meetings (Cont’d.):**

**Committee on the Judiciary:** Subcommittee on the Courts, the Internet, and Intellectual Property held an oversight hearing on *“Music On The Internet.”*

**Committee on Ways and Means:** Subcommittee on Social Security held a hearing on Social Security's *Processing of Attorney Fees*.

**Congressional Program Ahead. Week Of May 21 Through May 26, 2001:**

**Committee on Appropriations,** 5/23/01 @ 10:00 a.m. Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary, on *Bureau of Prisons*. H-309 Capitol.

**Committee on Appropriations,** 5/23/01 @ 1:30 p.m. Subcommittee on District of Columbia, on Fiscal Year 2002 D.C. Budget. 2358 Rayburn.

**Committee on Armed Services,** 5/22/01 @ 10:00 a.m. Special Oversight Panel on Terrorism, hearing on patterns of global terrorism and terrorist threats to the homeland. 2212 Rayburn.

**Committee on Energy and Commerce,** 5/23/01 @ 10:00 a.m. Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade, and Consumer Protection, hearing on *"On-line Fraud and Crime: Are Consumers Safe?"* 2123 Rayburn.

**Committee on Energy and Commerce,** 5/23/01 @ 10:00 a.m. Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing on *"How Secure Is Private Medical Information? A Review of Computer Security at the Health Care Financing Administration and Its Medicare Contractors."* 2322 Rayburn.

**Committee on Government Reform,** 5/23/01 @ 10:00 a.m. Subcommittee on Criminal Justice, Drug Policy and Human Resources, hearing on Effective Faith-Based Drug Treatment Programs. 2154 Rayburn.

**Committee on Government Reform,** 5/24/01 @ 10:30 a.m. *Subcommittee on Energy Policy, Natural Resources and Regulatory Affairs and the Subcommittee on Technology and the House of the Committee on Rules, joint hearing on "Unfunded Mandates--A Five-Year Review and Recommendations for Change."* 2154 Rayburn.

**Committee on the Judiciary,** 5/24/01 @ 10:00 a.m. Subcommittee on Crime, oversight hearing on *"Fighting Cyber Crime: Efforts by State and Local Officials."* 2237 Rayburn.

**Committee on Ways and Means,** 5/22/01 @ 10:00 a.m. Subcommittee on Social Security, *hearing on protecting privacy and preventing the misuse of Social Security numbers*. B-318 Rayburn.

**Remark:**

**Introduction Of H.R. 1886.**

*"...This bill will ensure that the outcome of these challenges initiated by the public and consumers through the optional inter partes reexamination will be fair by establishing the right to appeal and **judicial review**. It is a very limited measure and it does not lead to any additional district court trials, or other added*

*discovery burdens or expenses for inventors..."*

Coble

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**Next SENATE MEETING: Friday, 10:00 a.m., May 18, 2001.**

**Next HOUSE MEETING: Monday, 12:30 p.m., May 21, 2001.**

**OLA: S. Schwarz (Smith), J. Homanich**